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In re Patent Application of  
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Title: System for joining beams with square or rectangular cross-sections

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants hereby submit a response to the Office Action mailed on 29 September, 2006. An amended abstract appears on page 2 of this letter. Amended drawings are enclosed and begin on page 3 of this letter. Amendments to the claims appear in a listing of claims beginning on page 10 of this letter. An amended description begins on page 12 of this letter. Remarks begin on page 21 of this letter. Each of the text sheets shows deletions stricken through and additions underlined. A two month extension of time under § 1.136(a) is hereby requested and the requisite extension fee is to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 501249. Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional required fees or refund any overpayment to the same account.

Respectfully Submitted,

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